



# Toshiba Satellite C55-C5268 Disk Drive Replacement

The disk drive holds and reads CDs. It can become jammed and when that happens its useless and needs to be replaced.

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## INTRODUCTION

This guide will show you how to correctly replace the Disk Drive.

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### TOOLS:

- [Spudger](#) (1)
  - [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
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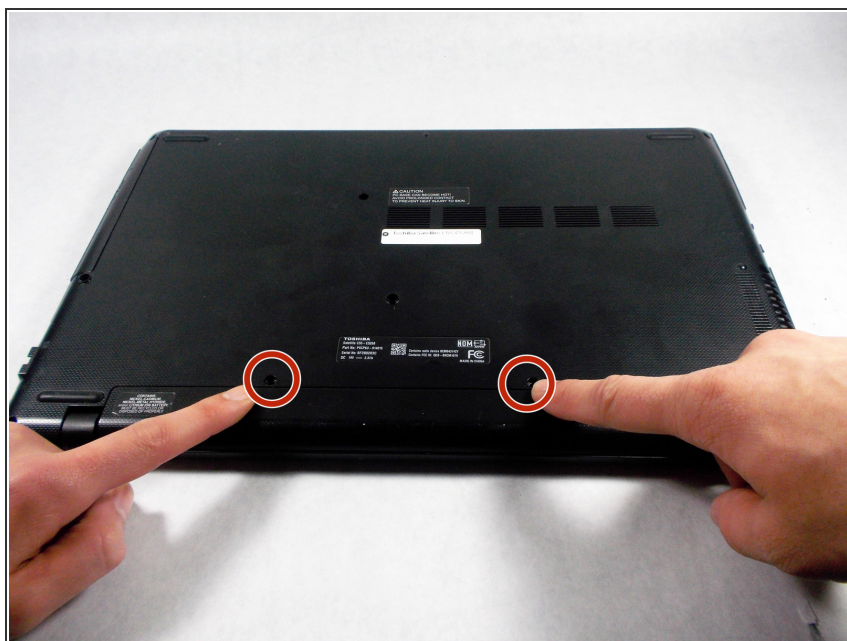
## Step 1 — Battery



- Unplug and power off the laptop.

⚠ Opening the inside of the laptop before it is completely off poses safety risk of electric shock.

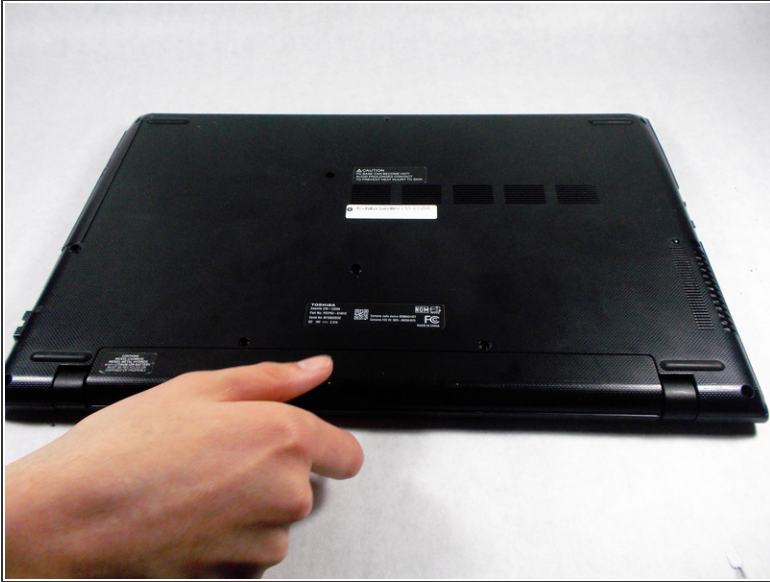
## Step 2



- Unscrew the two 9.0mm screws holding the battery in place using a #1 Phillips screwdriver.

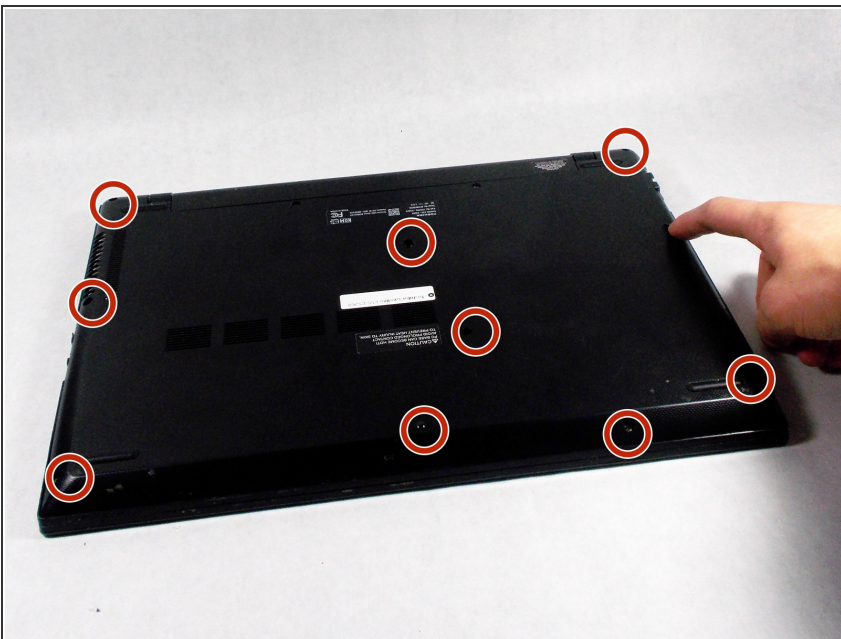


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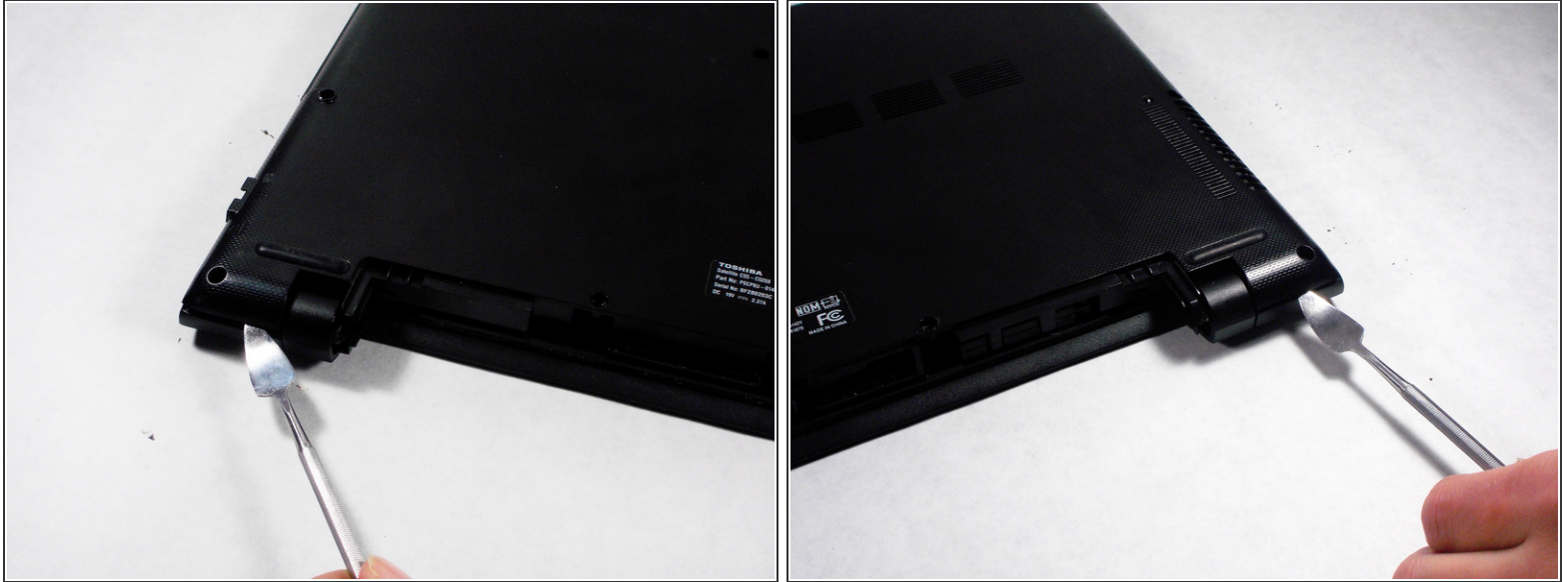
- Grab the battery and pull it away from the laptop to remove it.
- ⓘ This doesn't require a lot of effort, so you don't have to pull too hard.


## Step 4 — Back Panel



- Unscrew the 10 9.0 mm screws holding the back panel on using a Phillips head #1 screwdriver.

## Step 5

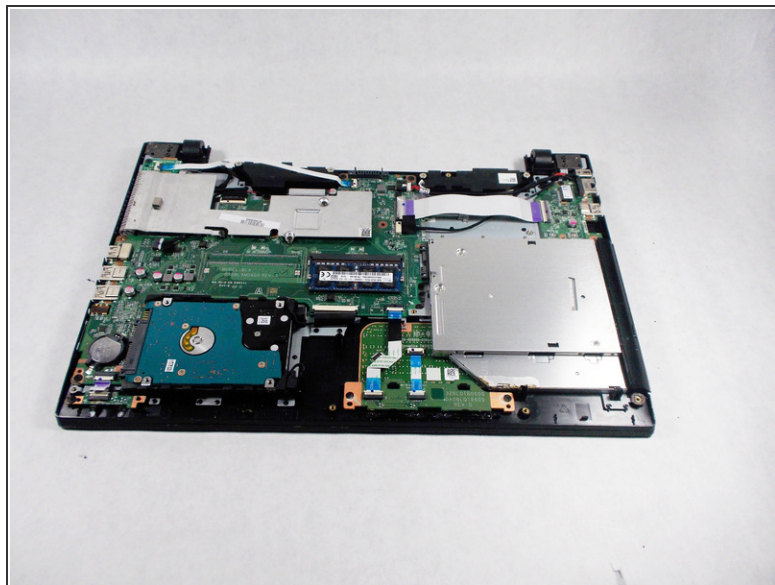


 Using a metal spudger can damage sensitive components.

- Insert a metal spudger tool in the seam between the back cover and the laptop itself. Gently run the spudger around the edge to pop the cover off.

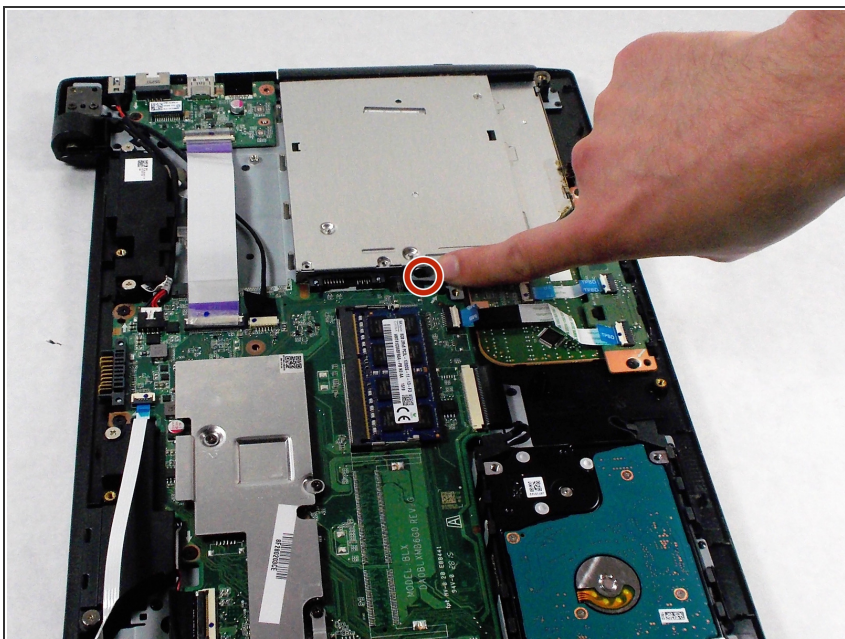


## Step 6



- Pry up the back panel from the rest of the laptop using a spudger.
- ⓘ It is best to start around the USB port and work your way around the edge until the panel completely snaps off.

## Step 7 — Disk Drive



- Unscrew one 3.0 mm screw from the disk drive using a #1 Phillips screwdriver.

## Step 8



- Grab the disk drive with one hand and the laptop with another, then gently pull the disk drive straight toward yourself.
- ⓘ Pull it in a straight line horizontally until it is completely removed.
- ⓘ This does not require much force, so be gentle.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.

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